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History and Final Disposition

LD 1525 / HP1116

An Act To Clarify the Freedom of Access Laws as They Pertain to the Penobscot Nation. (Approved for introduction by a majority of the Legislative Council pursuant to Joint Rule 205.) Presented by Representative LORING of the Penobscot Nation; Cosponsored by Senator CATHCART of Penobscot and Representatives: BRYANT-DESCHENE of Turner, LANDRY of Sanford, MARRACHE of Waterville, McKEE of Wayne, MOORE of the Passamaquoddy Tribe, SNOWE-MELLO of Poland, Senators: HATCH of Somerset, WOODCOCK of Franklin. Referred to Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Public Hearing 05/01/03. Final Disposition: Majority (ONTP) Accepted 03/16/04.

Original Bill

[LD 1525 \(121st Legis. 2003\)](#)

Analyst's Summary of Bill

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Committee Materials

Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary

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New Drafts and Amendments

[Amendment CA \(H-626\) \(LD 1525 2004\) \(Minority\)](#)

Floor Proceedings and Debate

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[HOUSE, January 13, 2004 \(H1096-1100\)](#)

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[SENATE, January 14, 2004 \(S1145-1149\)](#)

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[SENATE, March 16, 2004 \(S1379-1394\)](#)

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Cross References

Great Northern Paper, Inc. v. Penobscot Nation, 2001 ME 68, 770 A.2d 574

News Articles

Tribe seeks exemption from state access law (Murphy, Grace) (Portland Press Herald, 5/2/2003, p. 2B) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD15xx/nc121-LD-1525/SB1211008.pdf)

Tribes go to Legislature with public access dispute (Bangor Daily News, 5/3/2003) • (Available on request—please include the following citation: 121/LD15xx/nc121-LD-1525/SB1211014.pdf)

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